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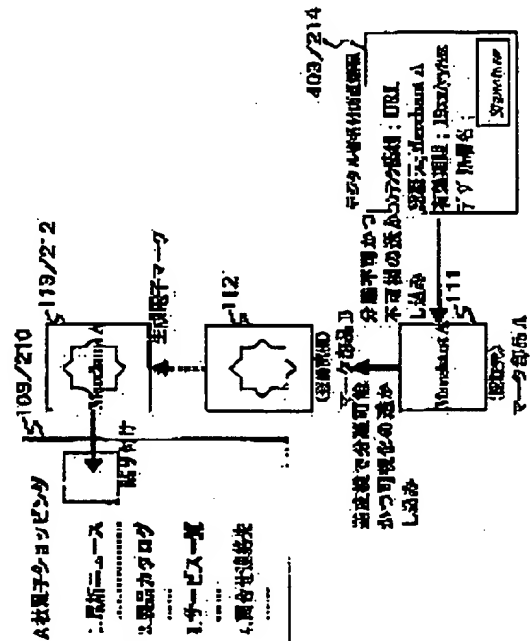
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(54) METHOD FOR GENERATING ELECTRONIC DATA ABLE TO BE AUTHENTICATED

(57)Abstract:

PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED: To authenticate the genuineness of electronic data strictly and to express visually the genuineness for the user of the electronic data.

SOLUTION: After imbedding authentication information to authenticate a web page 109 or an electronic mark B112 such as a trademark with a digital signature added thereto to an electronic mark A111 as an invisible electronic watermark, the electronic mark A111 expressing the genuineness is imbedded to the electronic mark B112 as a visual electronic watermark. Thus, the genuineness of the electronic data is strictly authenticated and the genuineness is visually expressed for the user of the electronic data.



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